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ABSTRACT

This list is of print and non-print materials that may have application to legal education for elementary and secondary grades. Types of print materials include student texts, periodicals, and pamphlets, curriculum materials, and books, both hardbound and paperback. Non-print materials include sound films and filmstrips and pre-recorded tapes. (Author/DJB)

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BIBLIOGRAPHY OF LEGAL EDUCATION MATERIALS

The following is a list of print and non-print materials that may have application to Legal Education instruction.

Preview and analysis by the potential user is a prerequisite. The Department of Education makes no claim for or against the value of any of these materials as instructional resources.

PRIMARY PRINT MATERIALS

Challenge of Understanding Your Laws, The. George J. Collins. Boston: Orien Publishing Co. 1968. -- A student text aimed at generalizing some of the basic rules of law and to develop an understanding of some general principles of law in order to "help students become aware of the delicate balance between our Constitutional freedoms and our legal responsibilities in a nation founded on and governed by laws."

Changing Adolescent Attitudes Toward Police. Robert Portune. Cincinnati: The W. H. Anderson Co., 646 Main St., 45201. 1971. -- The book examines the many attempts to establish favorable relationships between police and adolescents. It recommends methods for improving on-going programs and presents a model for testing whether or not these programs are successful.

"High School Law Program" (resource outlines). Washington State Bar Association, Young Lawyers Committee, Olympia, Wash. 98501. 1967. -- A teacher's resource designed to assist in acquainting students with our system of laws, the structure of our courts, and the services which the legal profession provides.

Issues Today. American Education Publications, Education Center, Columbus, Ohio 43216. Published twice monthly during school term. Subscription rates for 10 or more copies: $.95 per semester per student; $1.90 for school year. -- The magazine's format includes a national forum, world focus, and social science forum; many topics of which include legal questions.

Justice in Urban America Series. Robert H. Ratcliffe, ed. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co. 02107. 6 volumes, $.95 each. 1969. -- The volumes are: Law and the City, Crimes and Justice, Law and the Consumer, Poverty and Welfare, Landlord and Tenant, and Youth and the Law. A teacher's manual is available. An inquiry-oriented series stressing how the law really works in everyday life, with a seventh grade reading level, designed for use from the intermediate school through adult education.

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Juvenile Delinquency. Henry Thomas VanDyke. Waltham, Mass.: Ginn and Co. 02154. $1.59. 1970. -- Designed for JSHS. The author develops a profile of juvenile delinquency and discusses the causes and their relationships to modern society. A major portion of the book is devoted to a discussion of the prevention of delinquency as well as the correctional system for juveniles.

Law and You: A Booklet on General and Everyday Law. Ohio State Bar Association, 33 W. 11th Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43201. $.35. 1968. -- Designed to give some basic ideas of the laws and legal processes affecting the individual's life, to provide a general familiarity with elementary principles of law and an understanding of the role lawyers play in our legal system.

Law: You, the Police and Justice. William Goodykoontz, ed., a Contact Unit. Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632: Scholastic Magazines, Inc. $60.00/set. -- Designed for grades 9-12. Chapters include: "Is Law Important to You?", "What Do You Do When There's No Place to Go?", "You and the Police", "What Happens in Court?", "How Does Law Protect You?", "What Must You Do - As a Citizen?", "What are Your Basic Rights?", "The Higher Law?", and "Your Brother's Keeper?". Provides students an opportunity to react, talk, write, and express themselves.

Lessons in Conflict: Legal Education Materials for Secondary Schools. William M. Gibson. Medford, Mass. 02155: Lincoln Filene Center, Tufts University. 1970. $2.00. -- A teacher-student resource designed to provide youth with a working knowledge of law that is relevant to their lives and to develop in youth positive attitudes toward the legal system and its representatives. It seeks to teach youth how to make reasoned judgments and ways to effect change lawfully. Includes units on the Legal System, Consumer Rights, Torts, Criminal Law, Trial Procedures, Evidence, Juvenile Rights, Drugs, Business Organization, Property Law, Employment, Welfare, Family Law, Taxation, Eminent Domain, Special Remedies, Law Reform and Legal Assistance in America.

Liberty and Law. (Readings in American Government.) Edward W. Mill. Morristown NJ 07960: Silver Burdett Co. 1971. -- Designed to illustrate the important contribution to American society of the thoughts, decisions, and utterances of those who have sought to make the "American Dream" come true. The author demonstrates that the principles involved are not unchanging, but must be proven anew each day for their meaning and utility. In addition to individual writings the book includes significant Supreme Court cases and reports of national study groups.

Liberty Under Law. By editors of American Education Publications, Education Center, Columbus, Ohio 43216. $.40. 1966 rev. ed. -- Designed to be used in grades 7-12; using case studies involving disputes over constitutional rights or principles. Students are guided to judge each case and then to compare their decisions with that of the court. Each case is followed by background study of the constitutional principle, its origins and its purposes.

Our Bill of Rights. Mary H. Manoni. Glenview, Ill. 60025: Scott, Foresman & Co. $.96. 1970. -- Designed for use in grades 5-8; to help stress citizenship obligations as well as guaranteed rights and freedoms, to help illustrate the meaning of the Bill of Rights through actual law cases before the Supreme Court, and to give students insights into the workings of our legal system.

Politics and Progress (Readings in American Government). Edward W. Mill. Morristown, NJ 07960: Silver Burdett Co. 1971. -- Includes the presentation of some of the basic issues of life in United States and examines conflicting viewpoints that are often held on these issues. Emphasis placed on need for constructive change. All of the study is placed and made in the context of world problems and America's involvement therein.

Public Affairs Pamphlets. Public Affairs Committee, Inc., 381 Park Ave., South, New York, NY 10016. $.25 each. (Quantity rates on request). -- The pamphlets deal with social and economic issues, written in clear, nontechnical language. Among those available: The Challenge of Crime; The Juvenile Court Comes of Age; What We Can Do About Drug Abuse; Equal Justice for the Poor Man; Buyer, Be Wary; What About Marijuana; Law and Justice; School Failures and Dropouts; and The Delinquent and the Law.

Pursuit of Justice: An Introduction to Constitutional Rights. Henry W. Bragdon & John C. Pittenger. New York: Macmillan Co. 10022. 1969. -- A student text comprised of recent cases involving constitutional rights, ordered in such a fashion as to provide students with an opportunity to learn about justice under law and ways in which lawyers and judges think about the law.

Teenagers and the Law. John Paul Hanna. Boston: Ginn and Co. 02117. 1967. -- A student text about the foundation of law, our legal system, and individual rights and responsibilities under that system.

Under 21: A Young People's Guide to Legal Rights. Michael Dorman. New York: Dell Publishing Co., Inc. 10017. 1970. $.75 (paper). -- The author attempts to explain, within the limits of local law differences, in a clear, straightforward narrative the legal rights to which every young person is entitled. The book explores the legal difficulties which may arise in virtually every area concerned in the social, cultural, and emotional lives of young people.

Urban America Series, The. Pendulum Press, Inc., Brooks Corner, Westport, Conn. 06880. 1969. $.75. -- A series of paperbacks exploring the "massive, seemingly imponderable problems" of the urban centers of America. Each facet of the urban problem is examined separately, associated with the larger problem and presented in language that students can understand. Titles now available: Delinquency and Crime; Narcotics and Drug Abuse; The Ghetto Family; Health and the Poor; Police, Courts and the Ghetto; The Poor Pay and Pay; The War on Poverty; Riots; Jobs and the Color Barrier; and Venereal Disease.

What You Must Know About Drugs. Scholastic Magazines, Inc., 904 Sylvan Ave., Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. $.95. 1970. -- A text for student use, presenting picture of the total drug experience: dependence, tolerance, addiction, treatment; medical uses and dangerous abuses; drugs and the law.

"You and the Law". Kiwanis International, 101 E. Erie St., Chicago 60611. Available through local Kiwanis Clubs or from the Chicago office at $4.00/100. Larger quantity-rates available. -- Discusses nine violations common to the juvenile world and describes civil and criminal law as well as spells out consequences of a criminal record.

Youth and the Drug Problem. Henry Thomas VanDyke. Waltham, Mass.: Ginn and Co. 02154. $1.59. 1970. -- Designed for high school students. The text has been developed out of the assumption that young people will make rational, prudent decisions about drugs if they have opportunities to read and talk about the relevant facts. Relevant facts presented include expert testimony on the effects of various drugs, reasons for drug abuse in our society, penalties for drug-law violations, and treatment programs for drug addicts.

ADDITIONAL PAPERBACK RESOURCES

Affluent Society, The. John Kenneth Galbraith. (Mentor Books). New American Library, 1310 Avenue of the Americas, NYC 10019. 1958.

Bill of Rights: A Source Book, The. William Cohen, Murray Schwartz and DeAnne Sobul. Benzinger Brothers, Inc., 7 E. 51st St., NYC 10022. 1968.

Challenge of Crime in a Free Society, The. U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402. 1967.

Conflict, Politics, and Freedom. Charles N. Quigley and Richard P. Longaker. Ginn and Co., 125 Second Ave., Waltham, Mass. 02154. 1968.

Courts and Rights, 2nd edition. John P. Roche. Random House, 457 Madison Ave., NYC 10022. 1966.

Freedom and Control: How Much Censorship Should a Democracy Tolerate? Fred H. Stopsky. Scholastic Book Services, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. 1968.

Gideon's Trumpet. Anthony Lewis. Random House, 457 Madison Ave., NYC 10022 1964.

Heritage of Liberty. Alan Barth. McGraw-Hill Book Co., Princeton Road, Hightstown, NJ 08520. 1965.

Law in Action. Delmar Karlen. Holt, Rinehart and Winston, Inc., 383 Madison Ave., NYC 10017. 1964.

McCarthy Era, 1950-1954: Was American Society Threatened? Duane DeMello. Scholastic Book Services, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. 1968.

Naked Society, The. Vance Packard. McKay. 1964

Report of the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders. Bantam Books, Inc., 271 Madison Ave., NYC 10016. 1968.

States' Rights vs. Federal Power: Which Is In the People's Best Interest? Douglas A. Smart. Scholastic Book Services, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. 1968.

Supreme Court: Guardian or Lawmaker? Jack A. Hamilton. Scholastic Book Services, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. 1968.

Supreme Court and Contemporary Issues. Isidore Starr. Encyclopaedia Britannica Educational Corp., 425 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60611. 1969.

Supreme Court and Fundamental Freedoms, 2nd edition. George W. Spicer. Appleton-Century-Crofts, 440 Park Avenue South, NYC 10016. 1967.

Supreme Court in American Life. Leonard F. James. Scott, Foresman & Co., Glenview, Ill. 60025. 1964.

Talks on American Law. Harold J. Berman. Random House, 457 Madison Ave., NYC 10022. 1961.

Youth and Parent: Is the American Family Too Permissive? Robert F. Madgic. Scholastic Book Services, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. 1968.

Your Rights and Responsibilities as an American Citizen: A Civics Casebook. Charles N. Quigley. Ginn and Co., 125 Second Ave., Waltham, Mass. 02154. 1967.

NON-PRINT MATERIALS

Teaching Tapes:

Wollensak Teaching Tapes. 3M Dept. of Communications, 135 W. 50th St., NYC. Available in Reel-to-Reel (R) or Cassette (C) format. Each Package includes a Tape, Student Worksheets, Teacher's Guide. $7.95 each package. Tapes available include:

* "Roots of Dissent" (R-5820; C-5820). Establishes the historical antecedents to the dissent, violent and non-violent, of our modern era. The student learns the consequences, progressive and regressive, of revolt and that dissent is not unique to this generation. (17 min.; Gr. 7-12).

* "Dissent Topples an Empire" (R-5821; C-5821). Traces the development of resistance from Thoreau to Ghandi and its effects on an establishment seemingly impossible to topple. Stresses people-power, consequences of action, and passive resistance. (17 min.; Gr. 7-12).

* "Your Right to Dissent" (R-5823; C-5823). Puts the student in decision situations and then attempts to define the line between legal and illegal dissent, between effective and harmful resistance. A resistor must accept the possible consequences of his actions. (18 min.; Gr. 7-12).

* "You and the Law" (R-5825; C-5825). Stresses the student's rights and responsibilities under the law and the ways in which laws can be changed. Places the individual in perspective to society. (17 min.; Gr. 8-12).

* "Price You Pay for Crime" (R-5826; C-5826). Explains the rights and privileges lost during, and the prejudice encountered after a prison sentence. Leads the learner to discover that 'crime does not pay' -- in more ways than one. (15 min.; Gr. 8-12).

* "Law and the Future" (R-5827; C-5827). Attempts to discover the directions democracy, freedom and law may take in light of this generation's major movements: dissent, environmental awareness, civil rights, draft resistance, etc. (19 min.; Gr. 8-12).

* "Drugs: Your Decision" (R-5882; C-5882). The veneer of glamour and excitement is removed from potential drug experimentation through simple device of presenting the facts and unknown factors, and enumerating options and possibilities. (19 min.; Gr. 8-12).

Films:

Bailey-Film Associates, 11559 Santa Monica Blvd., Los Angeles 90025.

* "Changing the Law". -- The film provides an opportunity to explore some of the vital legal questions confronting society today. Raises such questions as "Why should laws be obeyed? and Is the Law fixed and inflexible, or is it capable of responding to changing needs? By following a documented case, the film shows the advantage of changing laws by peaceful rather than violent means. :23, color, rental $15.00. Elem., JSHS.

* Marijuana". -- "The arguments against smoking marijuana are hard, proven facts. Why, then, do students find challenges and reasons to justify their addiction to it? Sonny Bono of Sonny & Cher, explores and explains in detail the reasons for not smoking marijuana. Students are given an objective picture. The rational decision is theirs." :34, color, rental $25.00. JSHS, College.

* "Justice Black and the Bill of Rights". -- Discusses the possible conflict between constitutional law and morality; freedom of speech; and police powers versus the rights of the accused. (produced by CBS News). :32, color/b&w. rental $25.00. JSHS, College, Adult.

* "Equal Protection of the Laws". -- Focuses attention on areas of conflicts between minority and white groups. :30, color. rental $15.00. SH, College, Adult.

* "Right to Legal Counsel". -- A dramatic telling of the 1963 Gideon vs. Wainright decision that ruled that indigent defendants, accused of serious crimes, must be offered the assignment of counsel. :14, color. rental $8.00. JSHS, College.

* "The Bill of Rights in Action: Freedom of Speech". -- The Bill of Rights guarantees us freedom of speech. But are there limits to this freedom? Is it necessary to balance an individual's freedom of expression against the community's need for law and order? This film follows the case of an unpopular speaker who is convicted of disturbing the peace. Viewers hear the lawyers argue the constitutional issues to a court of appeals. They learn from this in-depth study, of the importance and complexity of issues involved in free speech. They are asked to be the judges, and this dramatic film is left open-ended. :21, color/b&w. rental $15.00. Elem, JSHS, College, Adult.

* "The Bill of Rights in Action: The Right to Privacy". -- The Bill of Rights guarantees the right to privacy. But what constitues an "unreasonable" invasion of privacy by the police? In this film an electronic surveillance by the police results in the issuance of a search warrant. Arrests are made and evidence is seized. In a pre-trial hearing on a motion to suppress the evidence, attorneys argue whether the Constitutional right to privacy of the accused was violated by the surveillance. After bringing out the importance and complexity of the concept of privacy, the film is left open-ended. The viewers are asked to decide the issue. :23, color. rental $15.00. JSHS, College, Adult.

* "The Bill of Rights in Action: Story of a Trial". -- Two young men are accused of a misdemeanor offense. Following them from their arrest through their trial, the film stresses the importance of due process of law. The participating judge, lawyers, and police use their own everyday language of the law courts and law enforcement agencies. The film is a realistic introduction to the procedures which protect the right of all citizens, as guaranteed by our Constitution. :22, color/b&w. rental $15.00. Elem, JSHS, Adult.

Churchill Films, 662 N. Robertson Blvd., Los Angeles 90069.

* The Bill of Rights Series. - Titles include: "Justice, Liberty and Law", "Speech and Protest", "Search and Privacy", and "Interrogation and Counsel". The films are designed to create discussion and inquiry, with built-in pauses (turn off film) for time to discuss. Available on rental basis, rates from supplier.

Films Incorporated, 1144 Wilmette Ave., Wilmette, Ill. 60091.

* "Marathon: The Story of the Young Drug Users". -- A no-punches-pulled presentation of youth telling their stories as it happened to them. No play-acting. No boring medical explanations. Film follows the youth in their progression from "pot" to Daytop Village (a therapeutic community on Staten Island, NY). Produced by the American Broadcasting System, 1967. :51, b&w. rental $25.00

* "Things I Cannot Change". -- A look at a family in trouble, seen from inside by a camera that became part of the family for several weeks. The father explains his family's predicament--trouble with the police, begging stale bread at the convent, the birth of another child. Produced by the National Film Board of Canada, 1966. :56, b&w. rental $25.00.

* "Criminal Justice in the U.S.". -- Study of the gap between ideals and realistic criminal justice. Reviews 12 cases of convicted men, each of whom was later proved innocent. Provides insight into basis for occasional miscarriages of justice. Produced by the National Broadcasting Company, 1966. :32, b&w. rental $18.50.

* "Crime in the Cities". -- A film questioning the crisis atmosphere which exists in the U. S. about "crime in the streets". A visual historical review which attempts to place the current "crime wave" into proper perspective. Produced by the National Broadcasting Company, 1966.

Henk Newenhouse, A Division of Novo, 1825 Willow Rd., Northfield, Ill. 60093.

* The Urban Crisis and the New Militants Series - The Public's Right to Law and Order Versus the Right to Dissent. Produced by The Film Group for use in JSHS, College and Adult. 7 films, b&w. Series price $500.00. The titles follow:

"The Right to Dissent: A Press Conference". :08, rental $7.00. -- an unnarrated documentary filmed during Democratic National Convention of 1968, Chicago.

"Social Confrontation: The Battle of Michigan Avenue". :10, rental $8.00. -- sounds and sights of confrontation in front of Conrad Hilton Hotel, Chicago, during the Convention.

"Law and Order versus Dissent". :10, rental $8.00. -- unnarrated footage of Chicago Police press conference after Hilton confrontation.

"The People's Right to Know: Police versus Reporters". :12, rental $10.00. -- one newspaper photographer's story of the week in Chicago during the Democratic Convention.

"Police Power and Freedom of Assembly: The Gregory March". :07, rental $7.00. -- actual films, unnarrated, of protestors' march down Michigan Avenue, Chicago, during the Convention.

"Black Moderates and Black Militants". :13, rental $12.00. -- the Black Panthers of Chicago.

"Cicero March". :08, rental $8.00. -- live coverage of the September 4, 1966, march from Chicago to white Cicero.

* "Narcotics and Kids". -- Designed for grades 5-8, to attack drug problems before they have a chance to grow to unmanageable proportions. :09, color. rental $12.00.

* "The Trip". -- Concerned with the use of drugs; the exploiters and users. :03½, color. rental $5.00. JSHS, College, Adult.

Sound-Filmstrips:

Guidance Associates, Pleasantville, NY 10570.

* Titles include: "You and the Law", "Love, Marriage and the Family", "LSD: The Acid World", "Marijuana: What Can You Believe?", "The Welfare Dilemma", "Civil Disobedience", "This Honorable Court". JSHS, College.

Henk Newenhouse, A Division of Novo, 1825 Willow Rd., Northfield, Ill. 60093.

* "Drugs: Helpful and Harmful". Designed to assist young students to develop wholesome attitudes toward drugs and to make wise personal choices concerning their safe use. For grades 5 and 6. color, $15.00.